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Dassi Pintar, Recycling Business Development Specialist  
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RE: SUBMITTAL OF APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF SANTA BARBARA  
REGIONAL RECYCLING MARKET DEVELOPMENT ZONE

Dear Ms. Pintar:

The County of Santa Barbara, in conjunction with the Cities of Lompoc, Santa Barbara, and Santa Maria, respectfully requests that the California Integrated Waste Management Board (CIWMB) renew the designation of the Santa Barbara Regional Recycling Market Development Zone (RMDZ). Enclosed is the application for renewal that contains all of the required components.

Presently, the Santa Barbara Regional Recycling Market Development Zone (Zone) includes the County of Santa Barbara and the Cities of Carpinteria, Lompoc, Santa Barbara, and Santa Maria. Upon renewal of the Zone's designation, the participating jurisdictions will remain the same, except for the City of Carpinteria, which has withdrawn its participation from the Zone. Please note that the Public Works Director of the City of Carpinteria has refused to have his City Council adopt a resolution confirming the City's withdrawal from the RMDZ program. As a result, I have sent him a letter, confirming the City's withdrawal from the program. I previously sent you a copy of this letter.

Thank you very much for the guidance and support that you provided as I prepared this application. If you have any questions, please contact me at (805) 882-3616.

Sincerely,

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